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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Mitsuyoshi MORI, et al.

Application No.: 10/706,918

Filed: November 14, 2003

Customer Number: 53080

Confirmation Number: 7667

Group Art Unit: 2814

Examiner: John C. Ingham

For: SOLID STATE IMAGING APPARATUS, METHOD FOR DRIVING THE SAME AND CAMERA USING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | NO. OF CLAIMS | HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE | FEE |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|------------|--------|
| Total Claims | 19 | 36 | 0 | \$50.00 = | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 2 | 5 | 0 | \$200.00 = | \$0.00 |
| Multiple dependent claims newly presented | | | | | \$0.00 |
| Fee for extension of time | | | | | \$0.00 |
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| Total of Above Calculations | | | | | \$0.00 |

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Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 29, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.